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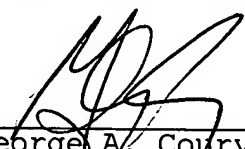
This paper is submitted responsive to the Notification of Missing Requirements mailed February 15, 2002. Please note that a Declaration of the Inventors in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) was submitted on January 15, 2002. A complete copy of the submission is enclosed herewith. It is therefore believed that all requirements under 35 USC 371 have been met, and confirmation of same is respectfully requested.

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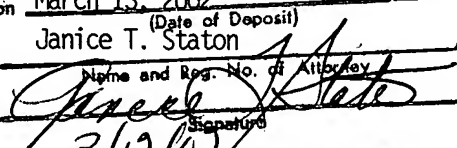
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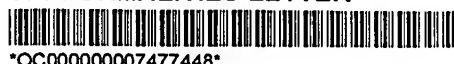
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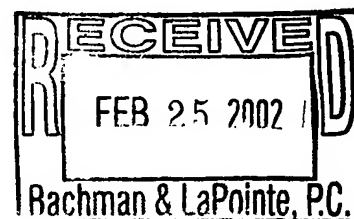
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- U.S. Basic National Fees
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- Copy of the International Application
- Copy of the International Search Report
- Preliminary Amendments



The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTH FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 22 or 32 MONTHS (where 37 CFR 1.495 applies) FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

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Applicants enclose herewith a Declaration in compliance with 37 C.F.R. 1.63 for filing in the above-identified case. Also enclosed herewith is a check in the amount of \$130.00 to cover the surcharge for filing this Declaration.

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